Patent 'Attorney's Docket No. <u>028723-020</u>

#37

IE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)
Joe W. GRAY et al)
Application No.: 08/487,701) Oroup Art Unit: 1807
Filed: June 7, 1995) Examiner: Unassigned
For: CHROMOSOME-SPECIFIC)
STAINING TO DETECT)
GENETIC REARRANGEMENTS)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants hereby submit the following information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents cited is enclosed.

Fisher et al, "Adhesive and Degradative Properties of Human Placental Cytotrophoblast Cells In Vitro," <u>J. Cell Biol.</u>, Vol. 109, No. 2, 1989, pp. 891-902

Landegren et al, "DNA Diagnostics -- Molecular Techniques and Automation," <u>Science</u>, Vol. 242, Oct. 1988, pp. 229-237

Lewin, Genes, (2nd Ed., John Wiley & Sons, Inc. 1984) pp. 298-299 and pp.464-465

LLNL, "Fluorescent Labeling of Human Chromosomes with Recombinant DNA Probes," Energy & Tech. Review, July 1985, pp. 84-85

The documents are being submitted within 3 months of the filing or entry of the national stage of this application or before the first Office Action on the merits, whichever is later, therefore no <u>fee</u> or certification is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b).

Information Disclosure Statement Application Serial No. <u>08/487,701</u> Attorney's Docket No. <u>028723-020</u> Page 2

To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialled copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS

Bv:

Dónna M. Meuth

Registration No. 36,607

P.O. Box 1404

Alexandria, VA 22313-1404

Phone: (703) 836-6620

Date: September 7, 1995